# REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

### **Voting Members:**

Calvin K.Y. Say, Chair; Radiant Cordero, Vice-Chair; Brandon J.C. Elefante, Esther Kiaʻāina, Heidi Tsuneyoshi, Andria Tupola

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Honorable Tommy Waters Chair, City Council City and County of Honolulu

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Budget, which considered Resolution 22-239 entitled:

"RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAI'I STATE LEGISLATURE TO APPROPRIATE FUNDING TO ENABLE THE HAWAI'I CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION AND ADAPTATION COMMISSION, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE STATE OF HAWAI'I OFFICE OF PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT'S COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM, TO CONDUCT CERTAIN ACTIVITIES TO ADDRESS SEA LEVEL RISE IMPACTS,"

introduced on October 11, 2022, reports as follows:

The purpose of the resolution is to urge the Hawai'i State Legislature to appropriate funding to enable the Hawai'i State Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Commission, in collaboration with the State of Hawai'i Office of Planning and Sustainable Development's Coastal Zone Management Program, to conduct certain activities to address sea level rise impacts.

The Executive Director of the Office of Climate Change, Sustainability and Resiliency provided comments and testified in support of the resolution.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the resolution from the following organizations: Surfrider Foundation O'ahu Chapter, Climate Resilience Collaborative. Comments were received from one individual.

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Your Committee on Budget is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 22-239 and recommends its adoption. (Ayes: Cordero, Elefante, Kiaʻāina, Say, Tupola – 5; Noes: None; Excused: Tsuneyoshi – 1.)

Respectfully submitted,

Committee Chair

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